

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the County Auditor, the public interests required that the Lake County Council, should be called to meet in regular session at this time, for the purpose of considering additional appropriations, a written notice was sent to each member of the Council, and proper advertisement made, and all other acts performed in accordance with the laws governing such matters.

And now in obedience to such call, come Ted Bilski, President, David Hamm, Charlie Brown, Daniel Dernulc, Christine Cid, Christian Jorgensen and Alfredo Menchaca County Councilpersons, together with Tom O'Donnell, County Council Attorney.

Announcement from Attorney Ray Szarmach: "The Court of Appeals ruled 3-0 in the Lake County Council's favor on the appeal in the case against the Lake County Commissioners regarding the transfer of jurisdiction of purchasing and data processing. They (Lake County Commissioners) have thirty days to file their motion asking the Court of Appeals to change their opinion, and then they have thirty days to file a petition for transfer to the Supreme Court. It's a historic decision regarding jurisdiction and interpretation of the home rules statute that we've lived under now for about forty-two years."

In the Matter of Minutes – June 14, 2022

Brown made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve minutes carried 7-0.

ORDINANCE # 1473

Section 1. Be It Ordained by the County Council of Lake County, IN., that for the expenses of the County Government and its institutions, the following sums of money are hereby appropriated and ordered set apart out of the several funds herein named and for the purposes herein appropriated, and shall be held to include all expenditures authorized to be made during the year unless otherwise expressly stipulated and provided by law.

	Appropriation Requested	Appropriated
Gambling Admission Tax Fund 196		
<u>Data Processing Agency 3600</u>		
43240 Telephone	\$36,266.42	\$36,266.42
44490 Other Equipment	\$96,598.50	\$96,598.50
Justice Assistance Grant Fund 262		
<u>JAG 2021 Grant 1017</u>		
41100 Overtime	\$7,108.00	\$7,108.00
43231 Travel – Registration	\$1,196.00	\$1,196.00
43234 Travel – Trans/Other	\$3,704.00	\$3,704.00
42410 Other Supplies	\$7,532.00	\$7,532.00
42110 Office Supplies	\$6,800.00	\$6,800.00
44490 Other Equipment	\$70,999.00	\$70,999.00
Juvenile Secured Detention Fund 389		
<u>Juvenile Detention Center 4200</u>		
41190 Part-Time	\$56,160.00	\$56,160.00
41220 FICA – Deduction	\$4,679.00	\$4,679.00
41260 Workman's Comp – Deduction	\$1,560.00	\$1,560.00
43231 Travel – Registration	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
43232 Travel – Meals	\$500.00	\$500.00
43233 Travel – Lodging	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
43234 Travel – Trans/Other	\$500.00	\$500.00
43235 Travel – Mileage	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
43715 Equipment Lease	\$35,520.00	\$35,520.00
43920 Food & Lodging	\$800.00	\$800.00
43995 Other Services & Charges	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Lake County Community Corrections Grant Fund 391		
<u>Juvenile Court 4100</u>		
42410 Other Supplies	\$600.00	\$600.00
43195 Contractual Services	\$48,404.00	\$48,404.00
43231 Travel – Registration	\$100.00	\$100.00
43232 Travel – Meals	\$860.00	\$860.00
43233 Travel – Lodging	\$3,031.00	\$3,031.00
43234 Travel – Trans/Other	\$261.00	\$261.00
43235 Travel – Mileage	\$3,298.00	\$3,298.00

43920 Food & Lodging	\$6,600.00	\$6,600.00
43995 Other Services & Charges	\$6,846.00	\$6,846.00
Lake County 911 Fund 399		
<u>Commissioners/Lake County 911 2901</u>		
44490 Other Equipment	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
General Fund 001		
<u>Jail 3100</u>		
41100 Overtime	\$650,000.00	WITHDRAWN

TRANSFER OF FUNDS CERTIFICATE

I, the proper legal officer of Lake County Council, Lake County, IN., hereby certify to the Auditor of Lake County, that the Lake County Council, approved the following transfers:

	Requested	Approved
<u>Sheriff 0500</u>		
General Fund 001		
From: 001-41140 Protective Services	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
001-41190 Part-Time	\$212,940.00	\$212,940.00
001-41338 Proficiency/Specialty Pay	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
001-41339 Clothing Allowance Pay	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
001-43235 Travel – Mileage	\$2,060.00	\$2,060.00
To: 001-41100 Overtime	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
001-43240 Telephone	\$115,000.00	\$115,000.00
001-43730 Property Rental	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
 <u>Government Center 3030</u>		
General Fund 001		
From: 001-43630 Maintenance & Service Cont.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
To: 001-42210 Petroleum Products	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
 <u>Jail 3100</u>		
General Fund 001		
From: 001-41101 Overtime Regular	\$225,000.00	\$225,000.00
001-41120 Professionals	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
001-41130 Technicians	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00
001-41140 Protective Services	\$765,000.00	\$765,000.00
001-41190 Part-Time	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
001-41338 Proficiency/Specialty Pay	\$37,500.00	\$37,500.00
001-41339 Clothing Allowance Pay	\$37,500.00	\$37,500.00
To: 001-41100 Overtime	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00
001-43190 Other Professional Service	\$225,000.00	\$225,000.00
001-44410 Furniture & Fixtures	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
 <u>Recreation/Special Facilities 5155</u>		
Parks & Recreation Fund 107		
From: 107-41250 Unemployment Comp – Deduction	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00
To: 107-41120 Professionals	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00
 <u>Jail 3100 (Deferred in June)</u>		
General Fund 001		
From: 001-41101 Overtime Regular	\$210,000.00	WITHDRAWN
001-41140 Protective Services	\$600,000.00	“”
To: 001-41100 Overtime	\$650,000.00	“”
001-43190 Other Professional Service	\$130,000.00	“”
001-44410 Furniture & Fixtures	\$30,000.00	“”

Additionals

Made Motion Seconded

<u>Gambling Admission Tax Fund 196</u>		
Data Processing Agency 3600		
(\$132,864.92)	Brown	Cid
		Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

Justice Assistance Grant Fund 262

JAG 2021 Grant 1017
(\$97,339)

Cid

Menchaca

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Juvenile Secured Detention Fund 389

Juvenile Detention Center 4200
(\$113,719)

Dernulc

Hamm

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Lake County Community Corrections Grant Fund 391

Juvenile Court 4100
(\$70,000)

Jorgensen

Dernulc

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Lake County 911 Fund 399

Commissioners/Lake County 911 2901
(\$300,000)

Brown

Dernulc

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Jail 3100

General Fund 001
(\$650,000)

WITHDRAWN on 6/27/2022

Transfers

Made Motion

Seconded

Sheriff 0500

General Fund 001
(\$455,000)

Cid

Menchaca

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Government Center 3030

General Fund 001
(\$5,000)

Jorgensen

Dernulc

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Jail 3100

General Fund 001
(\$1,255,000)

Dernulc

Jorgensen

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Recreation/Special Facilities 5155

Parks & Recreation Fund 107
(\$12,000)

Jorgensen

Dernulc

Majority voted yes.
Motion to approve carried
7-0.

Jail 3100 (Deferred in June)

General Fund 001
(\$810,000.00)

WITHDRAWN

In the Matter of Create 1 New Line Item – Data Processing 3600 – Gambling Admission Tax Fund 196

Brown made the motion, seconded by Cid, to approve the following new line item:

43240 Telephone

Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Create 1 New Line Item – Data Processing 3600 – Gambling Admission Tax Fund 196

Brown made the motion, seconded by Cid, to approve the following new line item:

44490 Other Equipment

Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Create 1 New Line Item – Commissioners E911 2901 – Lake County 911 Fund 399

Brown made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to approve the following new line item:

44490 Other Equipment

Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Jail 3100 – Create 1 New Line Item – General Fund 001 (Deferred in June)

44410 Furniture & Fixtures

WITHDRAWNIn the Matter of Create 1 New Line Item – Jail 3100 – General Fund 001

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to approve the following new line item:

44410 Furniture & Fixtures

Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Create 6 New Line Items – JAG 2021 Grant 1017 – JAG Grant Fund 262

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to approve the following new line items:

41100 Overtime
43231 Travel-Registration
43234 Travel-Trans/Other
42410 Other Supplies
42110 Office Supplies
44490 Other Equipment

Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Council 3700 – Combined Councilmanic and Citizen Appointments – Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee (Two Council and One Citizen)

Brown made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to open nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to open nominations carried 7-0.

Inaudible made the motion to nominate, Charlie Brown (balance of term), Christian Jorgensen (balance of term) and citizen William Mescall.

Cid made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to close nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to close nominations carried 7-0.

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Brown, to seat Charlie Brown (balance of term), Christian Jorgensen (balance of term) and William Mescall.

In the Matter of Council 3700 – Citizen Appointment – County Domestic Violence Fatality Review (One Probation Officer)

Cid made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to open nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to open nominations carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion to nominate Jacob Fadely.

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to close nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to close nominations carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to seat Jacob Fadely. Majority voted yes. Motion to seat Jacob Fadely carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Council 3700 – Citizen Appointment – Lake Ridge Fire Protection District (1 Replacement)

Brown made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to open nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to open nominations carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion to nominate Waldon McBride.

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to close nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to close nominations carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to seat Waldon McBride. Majority voted yes. Motion to seat Waldon McBride carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Council 3700 – Citizen Nominations – Economic Development Commission – City of Gary (Deferred Jan, Feb, March, Apr, May and June)

Brown made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to defer to August 9, 2022 Majority voted yes. Motion to defer to August 9, 2022 carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Council 3700 – Citizen Nominations – Economic Development Commission – Town of Munster (Deferred Jan, Feb, March, Apr, May and June)

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Hamm, to open nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to open nominations carried 7-0.

Dernulc made the motion to nominate George Shinkan.

Hamm made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to close nominations. Majority voted yes. Motion to close nominations carried 7-0.

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Hamm, to seat George Shinkan. Majority voted yes. Motion to seat George Shinkan carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Grant Applications & Grant Approvals – Grant Oversight Committee – Lake County Parks and Recreation Department as a Subrecipient to the Northwest Indiana Regional Planning Commission (NIRPC) – US Department of Transportation – Highway Planning and Construction Grant Awarded by the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT)

Cid made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Grant Applications & Grant Approvals – Grant Oversight Committee – Lake County Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency (LCHSEMA) – US Department of Transportation – Indiana Department of Homeland Security (IDHS) – FY 2023 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant Application

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Grant Applications & Grant Approvals – Grant Oversight Committee – Lake County Prosecutors Office – US Department of Justice (DOJ) – Indiana Criminal Justice Institute (ICJI) – Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FY 2023 Services – Training-Officers-Prosecutors (STOP) Grant Application

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Grant Applications & Grant Approvals – Grant Oversight Committee – Opportunity for Public Comment for the Lake County Sheriff's Department FY 2022 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Local Solicitation Grant Application

Cid made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to open public comment. Majority voted yes. Motion to open for public comment carried 7-0.

Opportunity for public comment was held. No Remonstrators were present.

Dernulc made the motion to close public comment.

In the Matter of Grant Applications & Grant Approvals – Grant Oversight Committee – Lake County Sheriff's Department **as the Lead Applicant for a Regional Drug Task Force** – US Department of Justice – FY 2022 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Local Solicitation Grant Application

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Discussion/Action – Vicious Dog Ordinance 1280C

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to defer to August 9, 2022. Majority voted yes. Motion to defer to August 9, 2022 carried 7-0.

In the Matter of Resolution Honoring Cody Johnston IHSA State Champion – Pole Vault

Gavel was passed to Jorgensen.

Bilski made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

RESOLUTION NO. 22-57

**RESOLUTION HONORING CODY JOHNSTON,
IHSA STATE CHAMPION - POLE VAULT**

WHEREAS, students and professional athletes nurtured and trained in Lake County, Indiana, have consistently shown excellence in all sporting endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Lake County has generously sent forth its spirited and athletic youth to compete with other youths of this state and of every country and nation of this world; and

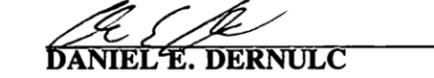
WHEREAS, Lake County is justly proud of its sons and daughters who have so willingly taken upon themselves the hardships and disciplines, both physical and mental, which successful participation in sporting events demands; and

WHEREAS, the name “Johnston” has become synonymous with “champion” in track and field circles both nationally and in Indiana; Jim Johnston, Sr., Cody’s grandfather was an All-American pole vaulter at Purdue and his brother, Riley Johnston, won the pole vault state title last year with a height of 16.6; and

WHEREAS, CODY JOHNSTON, a junior at Hobart High School, already a middle school state champion, captured first place in pole vault at the IHSA Track and Field State Finals at the Robert C. Haugh Track & Field Complex at Indiana University on on June 4, 2022, with a vault of 16.8.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Lake County Council, and all citizens of Lake County extend congratulations and praise to CODY JOHNSTON the IHSA Track and Field Pole Vault Champion; that a copy of this Resolution be spread on the official records of the Lake County Council, and an official copy be delivered to CODY JOHNSTON.

DULY ADOPTED by the Lake County Council, this 12th day of July, 2022.

 DAYLE HAMM	 TED F. BILSKI, President	 CHRISTINE CID
 CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN		 ALFREDO MENCHACA
 DANIEL E. DERNULC		 CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Honoring Lake Central School Corporation Superintendent Larry Veracco, 2022 District 1 Superintendent of the Year

Dernulc made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

RESOLUTION NO. 22-58

RESOLUTION HONORING LAKE CENTRAL SCHOOL CORPORATION SUPERINTENDENT LARRY VERACCO, 2022 DISTRICT I SUPERINTENDENT OF THE YEAR

WHEREAS, Larry Veracco has been Lake Central School Corporation’s Superintendent since 2010 and was involved with Lake Central for several years prior; and

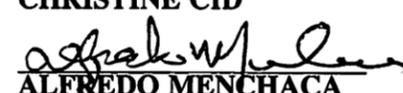
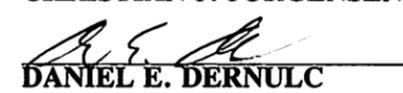
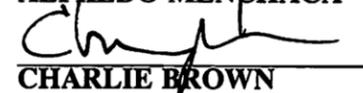
WHEREAS, Larry Veracco has worked to improve the quality of education in the Lake Central School Corporation; and

WHEREAS, Larry Veracco was also selected in 2018 as the District I Superintendent of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Larry Veracco was chosen by members of the Indiana Association of Public School Superintendents as the 2022 District I Superintendent of the Year.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT THE Lake County Council honors and recognizes Larry Veracco for being chosen as the 2022 District I Superintendent of the Year by the Indiana Association of Public School Superintendents; and that a copy of this Resolution be spread on the official records of the Lake County Council, and an official copy be delivered to Larry Veracco.

DULY ADOPTED by the Lake County Council, this 12th day of July, 2022.

		
DAVID HAMM	TED F. BILSKI, President	CHRISTINE CID
		
CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN		ALFREDO MENCHACA
		
DANIEL E. DERNULC		CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Resolution Honoring Illiana Christian High School Boys Baseball Team, IHSAA Class 2A State Champions

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Brown, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

RESOLUTION NO. 22-59

**RESOLUTION HONORING ILLIANA CHRISTIAN
HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASEBALL TEAM,
IHSAA CLASS 2A STATE CHAMPIONS**

WHEREAS, students and professional athletes nurtured and trained in Lake County, Indiana, have consistently shown excellence in all sporting endeavors; and

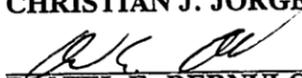
WHEREAS, Lake County has generously sent forth its spirited and athletic youth to compete with other youths of this state and of every country and nation of this world; and

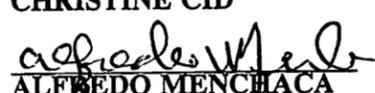
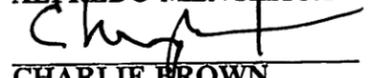
WHEREAS, Lake County is justly proud of its sons and daughters who have so willingly taken upon themselves the hardships and disciplines, both physical and mental, which successful participation in sporting events demands; and

WHEREAS, Illiana Christian High School Boys Baseball Team with a 22-7 record and in only its second year of IHSAA tournament eligibility, captured the IHSAA Class 2A Baseball Championship, with a 10-1 victory over Centerville High School on June 17, 2022 at Victory Field in Indianapolis.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Lake County Council, and all citizens of Lake County who are represented by this august body, extend congratulations and praise to the students, teachers, coaches and trainers but most particularly to the young men of the Illiana Christian High School Baseball Team, the IHSAA Class 2A Baseball State Champions; and that a copy of this Resolution be spread on the official records of the Lake County Council and an official copy be delivered to the Illiana Christian High School Boys Baseball Team.

DATED THIS 12th day of July, 2022.

 DAVID HAMM  CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN  DANIEL E. DERNULC	 TED F. BILSKI, President
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 CHRISTINE CID  ALFREDO MENCHACA  CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Resolution Amending Resolution 21-33 the Resolution to Declare Funds Dormant and Transfer Remaining Cash Balance to Appropriate Fund

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Brown, to approve. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

RESOLUTION NO. 21-33I

**RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 21-33,
THE RESOLUTION TO DECLARE FUND DORMANT AND
TRANSFER REMAINING CASH BALANCE TO APPROPRIATE FUND**

WHEREAS, on May 11, 2021, Lake County Council adopted the Resolution to Declare Funds Dormant and Transfer Remaining Cash Balances to Appropriate Funds, Resolution No. 21-33; and

WHEREAS, the Lake County Council now desires to amend Resolution No. 21-33 in order to add the following fund as dormant and transfer remaining cash balance to the appropriate fund:

<u>Dormant Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Transfer Fund</u>
Fund #379 Lake County Local Road & Bridge Matching Grant Fund (Ord. No. 1398B)	\$ 2,182.91	Cedit Fund 012.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

That Resolution No. 21-33 shall be amended by adding the following fund as dormant and transfer the balance as follows:

<u>Dormant Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Transfer Fund</u>
Fund #379 Lake County Local Road & Bridge Matching Grant Fund (Ord. No.1398B)	\$ 2,182.91	Cedit Fund 012.

SO RESOLVED THIS 12TH DAY OF JULY, 2022.

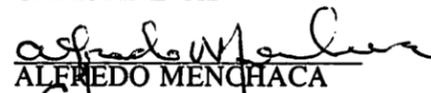

TED F. BILSKI, President


DAVID HAMM


CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN


DANIEL E. DERNULC


CHRISTINE CID


ALFREDO MENCHACA


CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Ordinance Amending No. 1459C, the Ordinance Declaring Funds Dormant and Repealing and Rescinding the Ordinance Establishing the Fund

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Brown, to approve on First Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on First Reading carried 7-0.

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to Suspend Rules. Majority voted yes. Motion to Suspend Rules carried 7-0.

Jorgensen made the motion, seconded by Dernulc, to approve on Second Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on Second Reading carried 7-0.

ORDINANCE NO. 1459C-11

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1459C, THE
ORDINANCE DECLARING FUND DORMANT AND
REPEALING AND RESCINDING THE ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE FUND

WHEREAS, on May 11, 2021, the Lake County Council adopted the Ordinance Declaring Fund Dormant and Repealing and Rescinding the Ordinance Establishing the Fund, Ordinance No. 1459C; and

WHEREAS, the Lake County Council now desires to amend Ordinance No. 1459C in order to add the following fund created by Ordinance as dormant and repealing and rescinding the Ordinances establishing the fund:

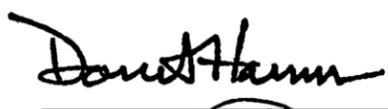
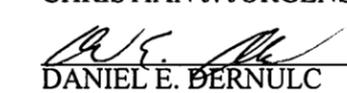
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Matching Grant Fund, Ordinance No. 1398B.

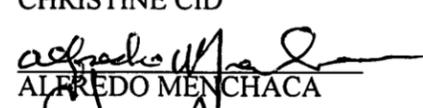
NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

That Ordinance No. 1459C shall be amended by adding the following fund created by Ordinance as dormant and repealing and rescinding the Ordinance establishing the fund:

Fund 379 Creating the Lake County Local Road & Bridge
Matching Grant Fund, Ordinance No. 1398B.

SO ORDAINED THIS 12th DAY OF JULY, 2022.

	
DAVID HAMM	TED F. BILSKI, President
	
CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN	
	
DANIEL E. BERNULC	


CHRISTINE CID

ALFREDO MENCHACA

CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Ordinance Amending the Lake County Part-Time Employees Pay Rate Ordinance for 2022, Ordinance No. 1466A for the Lake County Coroner

Menchaca made the motion, seconded by Hamm, to approve on First Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on First Reading carried 7-0.

Menchaca made the motion, seconded by Jorgensen, to Suspend Rules. Majority voted yes. Motion to Suspend Rules carried 7-0.

Menchaca made the motion, seconded by Hamm, to approve on Second Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on Second Reading carried 7-0.

ORDINANCE NO.1466A-5

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LAKE COUNTY PART-TIME EMPLOYEES PAY RATE ORDINANCE FOR 2022, ORDINANCE NO. 1466A

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2021, the Lake County Council adopted the Lake County Part-Time Employees Pay Rate Ordinance for 2022, Ordinance No. 1466A; and

WHEREAS, the Lake County Council now desires to amend the Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

That the following section be amended and adopted as follows:

DELETE:

Section IV.

15. Coroner:

- a. Investigator/Photographer I \$ 14.00/hr.
- b. Investigator/Photographer II 14.00/hr.
- c. State Certified Medicolegal Death Investigators 14.00/hr.
- d. Investigators & Path Assistants 12.00/hr.
- e. Drug Overdose Analyst 15.00/hr.

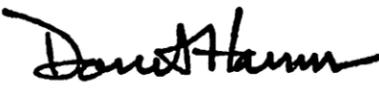
INSERT:

Section IV.

15. Coroner:

- a. Entry Level Medico Legal Death Investigator \$16.00-20.00/hr.
- b. State Certified Medico Legal Death Investigator/Path Assistant \$16.00-20.00/hr.

SO ORDAINED THIS 12th DAY OF JULY, 2022.



 DAVID HAMM



 CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN



 DANIEL E. DERNULC



 TED F. BILSKI, President



 CHRISTINE CID



 ALFREDO MENCHACA



 CHARLIE BROWN

Members of the Lake County Council

In the Matter of Ordinance Granting the Recorder's Request to use Monies from the Recorder's Record Perpetuation Fund to Supplement the Recorders 2023 Budget

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to approve on First Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on First Reading carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion, seconded by Menchaca, to Suspend Rules. Majority voted yes. Motion to Suspend Rules carried 7-0.

Cid made the motion, seconded by Hamm, to approve on Second Reading. Majority voted yes. Motion to approve on Second Reading carried 7-0.

ORDINANCE NO. 1473A

ORDINANCE GRANTING THE RECORDER'S REQUEST TO
USE MONIES FROM THE RECORDER'S RECORD PERPETUATION
FUND TO SUPPLEMENT THE RECORDER'S 2023 BUDGET

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. 36-2-3.5-5, the County Council shall adopt ordinances to promote efficient County Government; and

WHEREAS, on June 14, 2011, the Lake County Council adopted Ordinance No. 1336B, the Ordinance Establishing the Lake County Recorder's Perpetuation Fund, Fund No. 179, a Non-Reverting Fund; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. 36-2-7-10.2(b), the Lake County Recorder by Affidavit has requested that the sum of \$3,405,676.00 of the Recorder's Perpetuation Fund be used to supplement payment of the expenses of her office for the 2023 calendar year (Exhibit "A"); and

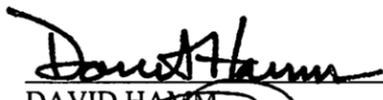
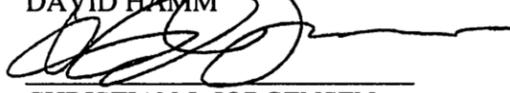
WHEREAS, pursuant to I.C. 36-2-7-10.2 (c), upon receiving the Recorder's Affidavit, the Lake County Council may adopt an Ordinance approving the Recorder's request.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

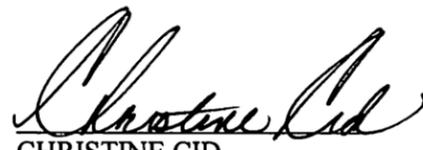
That the request of the Lake County Recorder requesting that the sum of \$3,405,676.00 of the Recorder's Perpetuation Fund be used to supplement payment of the expenses of her office for the 2023 calendar year is granted.

SO ORDAINED THIS 12th DAY OF JULY, 2022.


TED F. BILSKI, President


DAVID HAMM

CHRISTIAN J. JORGENSEN

DANIEL E. DERNULC


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AFFIDAVIT OF LAKE COUNTY RECORDER
REQUESTING TO USE MONIES FROM THE RECORDER'S
RECORDS PERPETUATION FUND TO SUPPLEMENT
THE RECORDER'S 2023 BUDGET

Gina Pimentel, being duly sworn, says:

1. That I am the duly elected Recorder of Lake County, Indiana.
2. That I am over the age of eighteen (18) years and make this affidavit upon my own personal knowledge.
3. That I am competent to testify to the matter set forth herein.
4. That as a part of my duties, I administer the Lake County Recorder's Record Perpetuation Fund ("Fund").
5. That current revenue in the Fund is sufficient to fulfill the statutory purpose of the Fund.
6. That the technology in the Recorder's Office is presently updated and at a level to sufficiently meet the statutory purposes of the Fund and the Recorder's Office.
7. That the Fund has sufficient reserve, consistent with my plan, to capitalize the next technology or other records management upgrade necessary to fulfill the statutory purposes of the Fund and the Recorder's Office.
8. That I request that the sum of \$ 3,405,676.00 of the Fund be used to supplement payment of the expenses of the Recorder's Office for the 2023 Calendar Year.
9. That I make this affidavit to induce the Lake County Council to adopt an Ordinance under I.C. 36-2-7-10.2(b)(2) approving my request.

I affirm under the penalties for perjury that the foregoing representations are true.

DATED: 6/22/2022

Regina M. Pimentel
GINA PIMENTEL
Lake County Recorder

Ex. A.

Additional Council Action/Comments:

Councilman Brown discussed creating a committee regarding gun laws and minimizing the gun violence in Lake County.

Brown made the motion, seconded by Cid, to create an ad hoc committee to discuss the sale of fire arms and related products on Lake County Fairgrounds and gun violence in the County, State and Country. Majority voted yes. Motion to create an ad hoc committee carried 7-0. The committee includes Councilman Charlie Brown as Chair and Councilwoman Christine Cid.

In the Matter of Acknowledgements: Announcement of Syd Garner Recipient

Cid: Paige Wood received a \$7,600 grant for the 2021-2022 year at Indiana University.

Andrean High School Baseball Team won their 8th State Champion trophy on June 18, 2022 by a score of 5-1 beating Brebeuf High School. Their Coach, Dave Pishkur was their coach for all eight years. They will be honored at the Council August 9, 2022 meeting.

Surveyor Bill Emerson has been selected by Governor Holcomb to serve on the State's new nineteen-member Drainage Task Force. The task force is required to evaluate the responsibilities of landowners and government authorities, assess current drainage law, assess conservation and pollution control goals and the draining of agricultural land and wetlands.

Public Comments: Michael Lee from Lowell, Rebecca Wyatt from Gary, Michelle Ferrell from Crown Point and Pete O'Day from Merrillville, spoke in regards to their opinions/thoughts on gun laws and gun violence in America.

There being no further business to come before the Council, it was moved and seconded that this Council does now adjourn, to meet again as required by law.

President, Lake County Council

ATTEST:

John E. Petalas,
Lake County Auditor